

K 68013

510(k) Summary of Safety & Effectiveness

Pursuant to CFR 807.92, the following 510(k) Summary is provided:

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2. **Device & Classification Name:** Locator, Root, Apex. Class 2, Product Code LQY, unclassified
Apex DAL (Apex Locator)

3. **Predicate Device:** MedicNRG Blue Apex Locator (K071133)

Earlier devices are:
MedicNRG XFG Electronic Apex Locator (K063843) & MedicNRG Electro Apex Locator (K032743)

4. **Description:** The Apex DAL is a dental apex locator which has the ability to measure the depth of the root canal by electronic means.

5. **Intended Use:** The Apex DAL is intended for the measurement of the length of the root canal for purposes of performing root canals and related dental procedure for use by a trained professional in general dentistry.

6. **Comparison of Technological Characteristics:** With respect to technology and intended use, the Modified MedicNRG- D (Apex Locator) is substantially equivalent to its predicate device which is the MedicNRG Blue Apex Locator. The primary difference is that the modified device provides does not Bluetooth Wireless Capability.

Like its predicate and earlier devices (K063843, & K032743) with which the device measured the tissue's changing response to the test signal between the electrodes as the file is advancing toward the apex, and with the second generation of MedicNRG's apex locator (K071133) it utilizes a multi-frequency response signal using DSP technology with a different algorithm reducing the delay between calculation and display of measurement. The signals are generated as a response to multi-frequency signals having a 6.5 kHz and 1.3 kHz repetition rate. The frequencies used for comparison 6.5 kHz and 1.3 kHz Square Wave with 3 cycles used for measurement.

Based upon the testing results, MedicNRG believes this difference does not raise additional safety or efficacy concerns.



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Re: K080113

Trade/Device Name: Apex DAL (Apex Locator)
Regulation Number: Unclassified
Regulation Name: None
Regulatory Class: Unclassified
Product Code: LQY
Dated: January 13, 2008
Received: January 16, 2008

Dear Mr. Hattub:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration.

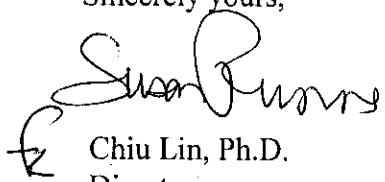
If your device is classified (see above) into either class II (Special Controls) or class III (PMA), it may be subject to such additional controls. Existing major regulations affecting your device can be found in the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 21, Parts 800 to 898. In addition, FDA may publish further announcements concerning your device in the Federal Register.

Please be advised that FDA's issuance of a substantial equivalence determination does not mean that FDA has made a determination that your device complies with other requirements of the Act or any Federal statutes and regulations administered by other Federal agencies. You must comply with all the Act's requirements, including, but not limited to: registration and listing (21 CFR Part 807); labeling (21 CFR Part 801); good manufacturing practice requirements as set forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820); and if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

This letter will allow you to begin marketing your device as described in your Section 510(k) premarket notification. The FDA finding of substantial equivalence of your device to a legally marketed predicate device results in a classification for your device and thus, permits your device to proceed to the market.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Office of Compliance at (240) 276-0115. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21 CFR Part 807.97). You may obtain other general information on your responsibilities under the Act from the Division of Small Manufacturers, International and Consumer Assistance at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 443-6597 or at its Internet address <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/industry/support/index.html>.

Sincerely yours,



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Enclosure

Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known): K080113

Device Name: Apex DAL (Apex Locator)

Indications For Use: The Apex DAL is indicated for the measurement of the length of the root canals and related dental procedures, for use by a trained professional in general dentistry.

Prescription Use X
(Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

AND/OR

Over-The-Counter Use _____
(21 CFR 807 Subpart C)

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NEEDED)

Concurrence of CDRH, Office of Device Evaluation (ODE)

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